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"OH, PAPA!" SHE CRIED OUT, "I HAVE NEVER SEEN YOU SO HAPPY BEFORE—YOU HAVE ALWAYS COME HOME DRUNK." (See page 6.)

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The Captain's Lesson.

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On a recent Saturday night a Captain in Australia read for his open air lesson a part of Matthew 25, concerning the five wise and five foolish virgins, and dwelt upon the nevertainty of life, and the certain approach of the judgment day. The people gathered round, and attention was wrant. The meeting had hardly concluded when the sky presented an unusual sight. Various lights—white, lurid red, etc., were observed. As we know now, this appearance was due to the Aurora Australia, but the townspeople became agituted, business was suspended, and on many sides could be heard anxious enquiries as to the real meaning. Some came in a distressed state of mind to your correspondent, stating that the world was a distressed state of mind to your cor-respondent, stating that the world was coming to an end. They remarked on the appropriateness of the open-air ad-dress, which hore on this topic. What cowards people are when danger con-fronts them.—Australian Cry.

A Hero of the Mine.

The Power of Religious Songs.

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Not since the midnight hyuns of Paul and Silas opened paison doors in ancient Philippi has the power of religious song heen so grandly demonstrated as it was in the caverns of the fire-locked St. Paul maine.

Of the twenty men who returned alive from the mine, William Clelland is to-day the hero, almost saint. He it was whose songs of faith sustained the spirits of his imprisoned comrades, while he, with Walter Waite, led and directed them in their struggle for release.

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daily associates as a godly man. Amid
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the tongue of profamity in his presence.
Some of the men, Italians and Lithmannians, could not understand all the
words of the song. But the nir, reminding them as it did of the Gregorian cliants which they had heard in
childhood in the Catholic churches of
their native lands, moved them to tears,
and at the prayer meetings, held there
after as often as twice a day, they

learned, although with imperfect pro-nunciation, to sing after their leader: Swift to its close ebbs out life's little

Carth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away. Change and decay in all around I see; O Thou, who changest not, abide with me!

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When Clelland, his rugged frame weakened to the last degree by suffering and strain, reached his home, his words again were those of David, "O give thanks unto the Lord, for he is good, for his unto the Lord, for he is good, for his unrev endireth forever." Men wept as, in the hears following the rescue, they heard the story of Clelland's heroic faith. William Taylor, State Mine Inspector, was unable to control his emotions as he said:

"I believe with all my heart that it was the prayers of those usen, and of those above who prayed for them, that kept them alive."—American Social Gazette.

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A Benefactor of the Blind.

How They Were First Taught to Read.

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How this the blind learn to read?

Freuch writer has, in a very interesting way, answered that question.

A man named Vadeatine Hauy, who for a long time had thought how he could bring happiness to these amfortamete people, was one day walking through an out-of-the-way street, when he came upon a blind beggar.

Touched by the helpless sorrow of the man, he put his hand in his pocket and gave him a piece of money. But he had hardly taken a step forward when the beggar, an houset man, called him back.

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"Surely, sir," he said, "you have him to be made a mistuke; you have given me half a crown instead of a penny."

The astonished giver asked the heggar how he had been able to so quickly detect the different value of the money.

"Oh," said the beggar, "it is enough for me to pass my finger over it."

This was like a fash of light.

"If the blind," thought Thury, as he continued his walk, "can distinguish at the least touch a piece of money, why should they not listinguish by the same means a letter, a figure, a mark—in slort, any sign whatever, so long as it is raised?"

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On this foundation be set to work, and presently invented a method for

teaching the blind to read.-New Zealand Cry.

Two Pictures.

The Artist's Terrible Discovery.

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A young artist was once seeking for a subject to paint which would be thought worthy to present to the publice. While thus engaged he was walking with a friend when he came to a house in which was a little fact keeding at his mother's knee liaping out his evening prayer. The artist was ao much impressed that he decided that it should be the subject. He painted it, therefore, and called it "Innocence." The prieture was a great success, and won much fame, so much so that a few years later he decided to paint amother to go with it. He went to the same town, therefore, and was taken to the prison and shown into a cell where a man lay condemned to die. He painted the picture, and put it side by side with the one entitled "Innocence." He named the second picture "Guilty." After he had finished it be discovered, to his horror, that this was the same man whom he had painted when a child at his mother's knee.

Such a contrast! First, whee a little child, learning to pray, and now condemned to die. Does this not teach as a lesson to get truly served, to get planted firm and strong in the leve of Jesus! Then as we grow older we will not find it so hard if we have carly leanned to put our trust in Jesus. Have you done so!—Australian Y. S.

How Victory was Obtained.

A Pretty Custom in Hamburg,

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A pretty custom is observed every year in the city of Hamburg to celebrate a famous victory which was won by little children more than 400 years ago. In one of the numerous sieges Hamburg was reduced to the last extremity, when it was suggested that all the children should be sent out uppretected into the camp of the besigers, as the mule appeal for mercy of the hiches and the inaccent. This was done. The rough soldiers of the invading army saw with amassement, and then with pity, a helpless procession of little ones, clad in white, come out of the city and march holdly into their camp. The sight melted their hearts, they three down their arms, and 3+8+8+8+8+8+8+8+8+8+8+8+8

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The Praying League.

General Prayer: "O Lord be pleased to graciously bless all who are in any trouble, sorrow, or bereavement, and especially need Thy grace and presence at this time."

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1. For special blessing and guidance to be given to our Leadors, yea,
to all of our comrades,

2. The Campaign in the NorthWest and Pacific Province.

3. For revival fire to descend upon
the world everywhere.

* * Sunday, Jan. 9th.—The Land and its King. Isatah xxxii. 13:29; xxxiii: 14:24. Monday, Jan. 10th.—Sinless Carth.

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Monday, Jan. 10th.—Sinless Earth.

Jisainh xxxv. 1-11; xl. 9-11.

Tuesday Jan. 11th.—Never Weary

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Wednesday, Jan. 12th.—Blind Mnn's

Guide. Isaiah xll. 10-16; xlll. 1-16;

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Thursday, Jan. 40-1.

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Thursday, Jan. 13th.—Jord's Winesses: Isalah xilli. 1-26; xliv. 1-5;
Friday, Jan. 14th.—A Man Made God.
Isalah xiiv. 9-20.
Saturday, Jan. 15th.—Jehovah's Sol.

emn Onth. Isalah viiv. 21, 22; xlv. 8-24; xlvi. 4-18.

"YE GOOD OLDE TYMES." Or "Better Than the Beginnings."

By Mrs. Blanche Johnston. (Continued rom flast week.)

1st. In our spiritual growth. The question naturally occurs to one: What is Spiritual growth? I would just like to say a word as to what it have:

this need to say a soon of the sound it is not.

It is not feeling, emotion, senious these may all be elements which enter into it, but it is something more—bigher, deeper, broader than these Dr. Henry Drummond says: "The spiritual life is the life of the Spirit; the apiritual man is no mere development of the natural, life is a new rerature born from above." (ligher spiritual growth, is the perfecting of the Christ-life in us.

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Being bord of the Spirit, the Christian life is one of progress and advancement.

We see many antilogies in human life and God's beautiful world of nature. Mother earth in the glad of springtime dons a wondrounly

they threw down their arms, and, beautiful dress. After the continued frost ang snow of the long winder, we are delighted to are the bersting buds, the waving foliage and the streen leaves of varied thats, ireabling and glistening in the bright June zunlight. But later on we should not be satisfied if the fragrance of the full blown rose is soft waited upon the summer breeze, and the trees in our orchards are not been for injuning fruit.

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The law ruling the reason of some is the law of growth, and the spiritual kingdom is one of development.

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One of development.

And so with us, my near friends.

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SOLDIERS OF SALVATION HOW THEY M

BY COMMISSIONER RAILTON.



OTHER was saved kneeling by Mr. Thomas's coffin in the Whitechapel Hall—you remember he died suddenly more than thirty-three years age. Well, you know she never turned back, but lived for God ever since till her death at 84, only a few months ago."

"And her death was just glorions. She repeatedly saug during last days:--

'I am going home to dwell with God,
'And praise Him evermore.'

"She was also fond of singing, 'I need Theo every hour," and:-

Jesus is a Rock in a weary land, A shelter in the time of storm!'

days before she died I asked her how she felt about it. "'Oh, I'm not afraid. I wonder how long He'll be before He calls for me. Do you think He'll be long? But I'll wait. I'll not murmur.' "Oh, her death was just lovely,"

Such is the description, by her daughter, one of the very first our "Hallelujah Lasses," and now the wife of one of our Local Officers and Song writers, of the passage of her aged mother to the Gloryland. And yet this death was only a speelmen of those reported In almost every one of our papers from many lands every week.

Down a Torpedo Boat.

Remembering how many are the perplexities that often surround the death-beds of the poor, how new expenses and difficulties of every kind usually accompany the death of father or mother especially, it is a great triumph that the grave has so completely lost lis terrors, and that children can look back upon the last scene with a happy smile, having themselves obtained a fresh foretaste of Heaven in their hour of hereavement.

But not less satisfactory was the testimony to me as to one of the converts of this very year. He was a sallor lad, and the Officer of the Home he came to longed in vain for weeks to beat him, but he always resented any allusion to his soul or religion, until one night he came in about half past eleven, after all the others had gone to bed, He noticed with great pleasure that the har was decorated The Officer's desire for a talk was to be gratifled at last.

admire flowers," said the lad. "It reminds me of houe." so, at last he began to talk of the old home and his soul. They remained talking till, at two o'clock in the morning, the lad knelt to seek salvation, and God set him blessedly free,

He just had time to show himself "all right," when he was ordered to Malta, where, after bearing 2 good testimony before his comrades, only three months after being saved, he sank, to rise no more, on board a tornedo-boat.

In Basel: Switzerland, we had a comrade who lay sick in hospital for ten years before death released him. In that same hospital lay another for a year for four months of which he had to be eneased in plaster of Parls. This one had fallen when coming out of a public-house, in which he was selling "War Crys." But both men were "as happy as ever I saw anyone," says their visitor. Whilst lying there they three souls for Christ.

When the first-mentioned one died, a woman who had often listened to his joyous sougs, begged for his zong book, that she might keep up the sweet memories it brought to her mind,

A Sudden Death. .

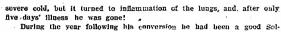
More to lead forial and Soldierlike, was the end of one of our veterans in Pasadenn, California. He had been a Soldier of that Corps from its early days, more than twenty years ago, and was held in high esteem by all who knew him for his godly and consistent life. Though more than seventy years of age, he kept up his attendance and his bright testimony in the meetings. His last Officer had a conversation with him very shortly before the end and was impressed with his deep plety and readiness for whatever God might will for him

Whilst walking along the pavement with his wife he suddenly dropped, and was gone to be "for ever with the Lord."

Our Kansas City Corns lost one of its veterans at almost the same lie had been generally known as "Zacchaeus," because he was so small; but he was no small man, for he kept arousing sinners with his little drum, so that far more of them than the Hall would contain came to his faileral service. For twenty-one years he had never ceased his earnest testimony and we trust many whom he led to Christ will greet him on the Eternal Shore.

But we have not always such long service from our Soldlers. The McKeesport Corps lost, this year, one of its strong men. He was only wenty-two, and nobody thought his

deatht no near. He had taken a



dier. On his sick-bed he promised the Lord that if He raised him up again, he would always remain such; but, with "Victory" written on his banner and a happy testimony on his lips that all was well, he went see the King in His beauty.

Considering how dangerous are the callings in which so many of

our comrades are engaged and how many are the diseases often prevaliling amongst the people, in whose narrow streets or crowded 'enements they so often live, it is wonderful that we so seldom lose any of them by accident or by epidemics. Oh, how we long often to help those who are living these lovely fully-surrendered lives, amidst poverty so extreme that we wonder how they survive at all!

But the blessed testimony that comes to us so very often about their being found ready and happy when the call comes, leaves no sort of doubt when it turns out that some of them have been found amongst the killed in a colliery explosion, or have gone down with some

A Distinguished Career.

A little daughter of a Soldier counte in London, lay ill for some weeks, during which she manifested even more than before the thimess of her faitht in her Redeemer. But the end was nearing and all at once, with a child's eagerness, she pointed with outstretched finger towards one side of the room.
"See! See Jesus!" she cried; and then, sitting up in

stretched out her hands exactly as she would have done to one earthly friend, and crying, "Off we go " with all a child's delight, she fell back.

When as is so often the case, the dving compade is half, or more than half unconscious, it very often seems as though our sight of the soul's life were all the clearer, because we can always be sure that what it said in delirium represents faithfully enough the thoughts and feelings that probably were last exercising the mind and soul before consolousness was lost

Here is a Salvationist lawyer dying-one of the most fearless and blessed saints we ever knew. He bravely fought to the last, and would not give up work, until he was really compelled to do so. Even when in a very low and weak state, he had his shorthand clerk to his private house, and summoned enough strength to give instructions, in that the work might go on. He had had every opportunity of enjoying the pleasures of this world. German, French and Italian, he spoke very fluently, and he, of course, knew Latin and Greek well. There can be no doubt that he had all the qualities for a distinguished career. But he chose rather to give up his life to the War, and none of us had realised, alas! how he was overtaxing his strength till it was too late.

"Let We Talk to Them."

Forced to go to the family home in the country for rest, he arrived looking very weak and ill, and never rallied. After a few days sitting in the fresh air he had to take to bed, and, and then the doctors discovered that he had been a sickening for typhoid of a severe kind. He suffered much pain, the fever got worse, and he became delirious.

Yet all through, a bright smile generally illuminated his face, esnecially before he would pray or sing one of our songs. His prayers were never for himself, but only for others.

Waving his hand, on the second day, he sang:-

I will follow Thee my Faviour. Thou didst shed Tuy blood for me: And though all men should forsake me. By Thy grace, I will follow Thee,

Hallelujah! A little later the same day looking up, he said "I know my sins are all forgiven, and now I'm leading poor sinners to heaven. Glory be to God!"

Often he folded his hands, and would pray "O Lord, save poor sinners." Save poor sinners. Save all the world, for Jesus Chvisi's

The next evening he was singing. 'Jesus with me is united." his face shining with the glory.

Once, when he was pleading with sinners to come to Jesus, as he thought, his sister fearing that he would be exhausted, whispered in his ear, "Fred, let me talk to them a little will you?" Lifting his head from the pillow, he whispered back, "Yes, yes, certainly! Halleluisb:

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Soldiers of Salvation.

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Oh grant it, for Jesus' sake.

nar. Oh grant it, for Jesus same-Amen."

Once in the night, his voice could be heard all over the house singing in German, "Oh, yes yes, yes, yes, Jesus is mine for evermore." His face was bright with joy one afternoou as he saug, "Oh, the Blood of Jesus cleanses white as snow." Once he was saying, "Oh, take eare of those little things—little things that mar our peare."

He often saug:—

Collabor I am coming, coming,

O Savlour, I am coming, coming,

coming,
O Saviour, I am coming,
I'm coming now to Thee.

On the Saturday evening his mother and sister were with him when his breathing became rapid and difficult. His mother said, "Fred, dear Jesus is very near to you." His face brightened as he replied, trying to wave his hand over bis head: "In the heart!" and these were his last words. His sister sang to him:—

Bright crowns there are. Bright crowns laid up on high; For you and me, There's a palm of victory. There's a palm of victory.

There's a palm of victory.

There's a palm of victory.

The enjoyed it, and followed each word, though too weak to sing. He enterwards turned his head and looked on the other side, as though he saw some one there. He gently sighed, and was gone—only four days in bed. Halletulait food grant us all an equally blessed ending.

We cannot always escape the otheration of some of the funny sects that torment the living and the dying. But the reply of a Norwegian Sister Intely, to some new light, who assured her that unless she accepted their salvation and was baptised by them, she would not be found ready "with the Lamb's Bride," was superb.

"Well, well," said she, "if I cannot be with the Bride, "Ill be quite groom!" Oh! for the funds to assist us to carry salvation to basist us to carry salvation to basis of others all over the world, so that they may be found equally ready for His coming!

DIED IN DESTITUTION.

Another Consumptive's End Makes
Mute Appeal for Refuge for
Advanced Cases.

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By the denth of George Gregory,
aged 48 years, who passed away in The
Sulvation Army Hotel Metropole, St.
Alexander Street, yesterday morning,
one more case has been added to the
long list of friendless and destitute
consumptives who, for the want of a
proper refuge, must die wherever their
lot may be east.

Mr. Gregory had been in Canada for
about two years, and came to Montreal
from Halifax. He belonged to a military family in England, and SergenatMajor Henry F. Gregory, of the 1st
Middlesex Regiment, Portsmouth, is a
brother. Mrs. Wilson, Frederick St.,
Hanley, Stafford, Stoke-on-Trent, is a
sister. He told Major Taylor, of the
Metropole, that he was a member of
the Army Medleal Corps in Halifax.
Coming to Montreal, he was engaged
at various jobs, latterly being employed as an attendant in one of the hospitals. Ho gave up that position recently owing to failing health and had
hean condined to lis room for about
fen days.

Efforts made by Major Taylor failed
to get the man into any institution.
Notwithstanding the fact that about
250 men sleep in the Metropole nightly,
Major Taylor decided that he must do
what he could for the unfortunate and
act turn him out to die on the treets
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The funeral service was conducted
in the medium hall of the Metropole by Major Taylor, and staff,
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Sergeant and Mrs. Hogarth, of Toronto i.,.
Recently married by Brigadler Tay-lor.

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Major read a portion of the seventh chapter of Revelation, and prayer wasoffered by other officers.
This is the first death to take place ie the Metropole. The Major said that the Metropole stood for sympathy, brotherhood and encouragement. They tried to east a cheering light across the shadows of unfortunate men's lives and to lift them out of the circumstances that even their sines had brought them into. He regretifed that he could not get the poor man into a more suitable institution, but he said the said-faction of the man's warnest expressions. faction of the man's warnest expressions of appreciation for the sympathy and care they were able to bestow upon him. "Surely," said the Major. on him. "Surely," said the Major, "Montreal should provide numble accommodation for such cases."

Stall-Capt. Payne and Mrs. Capt. Heberden Visit Sherbrooke.

Service in Methodist Church—Chief of Police Leans Carriage.

Folice Loans Carriago.

The Sherbrooke Comrades turned out in good form Saturday evening, when at 8 o'clock Staff-Captain Payne, accompanied by Mrs. Cuptain Heberhen, nrived at the G. T. R. station. They had come to do a week-call in the interests of the Women's Social Work, and, though a little late, pitched into the work they were bent upon doing. Without waiting for a bite of supperthey went direct to the Open-Air, where a good crowd listened while Mrs. Payne spoke and Mrs. Heberden sang. In the hall a, hot sulvation meeting was held and failth warmed up high for the Sunday. After addressing the Junior Corps, the visitors proceeded to Holiness meeting, when Mrs. Heberden spoke with much power and one soul was blessedly restored. In the afternoon Mrs. Payne gave the people an insight lato our Rescue work. At hight the Staff-Captain addressed the congregation at the Metholist Church and the story of the Resene Work. A spleudid offering was taken up at the close of the address and presented to the Staff-Captain for our Lunds.

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Btill feeling able to do a little more, our two visitors addressed another full house at the Hall lamediately after the church service. On Monday the Chief of Police, a warm friend of the Army, put a carriage at the disposal of the visitors, which caubled them to pay a number of cells and to do a lot of business for The Army.

They report that the Sherbrooke Soldiers and Officers are in good spirits, Ensign and Mra. Rock are leading bravely on.—One Interested,

Our Metropole in the Metropolis.

Interesting News-A Convert's Testi-

On Friday, Dec. 10th, we had with us Staff Captain Bloss, Chancellor for Quebec and East Ontarlo, assisted by Captains Wright, Gamble, Tutte and Dalzell. Wright, Gamble, Tutte and Dalzell, which the mea esjoyed very sauch.

On Sunday Dec. 12th afterneer and right, Major and Mrs. Taylor and Stan conducted the meetings. We had she largest rrowd since the cold weather

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We have a beautiful opportunity here to help those who are in aced, and we are looking forward to a blavest of sonts this winter. Already quite a number have cried to God for deliver-

number have cried to God for delayer-ance. One man who got converted nearly a year ago got my and started his testi-mony by saying, "Men, ten months ago I was down as low as I could be. Drink had such a hold upon me, that no matter how I tried I could not get awey from it. I came into this Metro-pole, tiral and sied of life, I heard the story of desus, and made up my minet to give God a trial, and, men, for ten months I have never touched a drop of Bonor."

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The men not only come to the meetings, but are helped temporarily as well. Major and Mrs. Taylor, Capt. and Mrs. Heberden and Sergt. Nicholas have their hands full.
Over 200 men nightly find accommodation at the Metropole. Two mounts ago a soop kirchen was opened, which has proved a great help to the men who sleep in the building. Apart from the Metropole there is the Salvage Department, where Captain and Mrs. Hurd and Sergt, and Mrs. Reader are kept busy supplying clothes and furniture to poor people. Some of them have remarked how giad they are that The Army opened such a place—Brightside.

Babies for Bait.

Make the Crocodile's Mouth Water.

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"Wanteq fat babies, for crocodile batt; will be brought home alive."

"When I first sow this advertisement in a Cevlou newspaper." said Richard Kinchoro, "I thought it was a joke. Afterwards I learned that it was by this means that the erocodile hunters accured their balt. It is no trouble for an English crocodile hunter to get these little children. The Ceylon parents lieve full confidence in Englishmen, and they will rent out their bables to be used for crocodile bait for a small sum. The Ceylon crocodiles are lasier than others, and are harder to get. They lie for hours perfectly motion-less, basking in the sun. Hardly anything can sitr them. But when tempted by a fat Ceylon baby, placed on the banks of the stream, they shake off their enough and their mouths water for a delleate morsel of brown laby. The crocodile rathers himself together and starts out for the infant. When he gets half-way up the bank the hunter, concealed behing some reeds, opens fire and gets his game. Then baby is taken home to its lowing parents, to be used for the same purpose next day. The opportsman secures the skin and head of the crocodile, and the natives are given the rest of the carcase.—Australian Y. S.



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He Never Blamed the But. Words Applicable to Mary a Mail

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Seventy large white polar bears have just come to Lordon from Hamburg. Their arrival in seven huge steel cages caused quite a sen-sation in the Lelcester Square district. The animals are red on biscuit, fish, and meat.

tion. Sand deserts are not, is used to be supposed, sen-bottoms, but areas of destruction of regedution—often (though not always), both in Central Asia and in North Africa, Egypt, etc., started by the deliberate destruction of forest by man, either by artificial dealnage starving the forest or by the simple use of the axe or fire.

A Long Vigil.

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The newspapers relate the story of how Charles Farr waited two nights and a day on the steps of the Lands office at Regina in order to scence a homestead valued at \$4,000. There were fiften waiting for the land, but Farr, who was the first arrival, remained with his hand on the door knot. One night he was provided by friends with a chair and blankets. A hole was cut in the seat of the chair and Farr wrapped the blankets around his hole was the first and farriers and fighted, so that he was frierly comfortable throughout the long watch.

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If non-consider it worth while to wait like this in the hipe of gaining material riches, should not we wait with patience for the time when we shall possess "the inheritance incorruptible and that fadeth not away."

Counterfeiter Cheats Himself.

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Prophe sometimes work horder trying to got money dishomestly than they would to get it homestly, and occasionally a person who tries to clear the world gots panished by fluding that he lost more than he made by it.

This was the case with the man-wice made a counterfeit of a Spanish doubleon dated 1891. The doubleon is a gold coin that was long in use in Spain, and which at different times varied in value from \$5 to about \$16. The actual value of this particular one would be in gold about \$15.01, but the joke of it is that the counterfeiter made the counterfeiter made the counterfeiter made the made it twith gold. At the time he made it few uses for platinum were known, and the metal was worth less than gold, but

now—so much in demand is it for elec-trical, dental and other purposes—that it is actually more valuable than gold itself.

In fact, this doubloon, it sold for the In fact, this doubloon, it sold for the platinum that is in it, would bring about \$2 more than it would if the caunterfeiter had made it of gold, for platinum to-day is worth almost \$1 a pennyweight. This coin is such a curiosity that when if was put ap at auction in Philadelphia the other day a collector paid \$60 for it. This is one of the very few cases known in which a counterfeit has brought more than the genuine coin would.

Spectacles for Policemen.

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The commander of the Paris pelier force has perfected, for the use of the men in his command, spectacles, with the aid of which they may not early see very plainly what is going on ahead of them, but at the secan time command a view of what, is going on behind tham, an arrangement that is expected to contribute materially to their chickney. At the outer edge or corners of these unique glasses small concein mirrors are attached. They are very "trac" and so placed as not to interfere in the least with the ferward view of the wearer. After brief preliminary use they are found to give excellent service.

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The President of Nicaragea has resigned. Apparently there was no other comes for him to take. The people were at last sroused. The guns of the revolutionists threatened. The warwere at last sroused. The guns of the revolutionists threatened. The warragus perts. The spirit of revolt had spread even to the gates of the palace. Zelaya surrounded himself with an armed gund. Uncheeked, the populare marched through the streets, exying for the end of the old, picelaiming a new regime.

Under these circumstances Zelaya sout his resignate dictator is over. We trust that peace will soon be restored to this unbappy country.

G. B. M. Notes.

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Selkirk, the first place visited, is a tariving little town, about twenty miles north of Winnipey, on the Red River. Landbering and fishing gives couployment to a number of its people. Here The Army has a nice little corps, with Capt, and Mis. Travers in charge. A number of old and faithful soldiers stand by the flag in every storm.

Sunday's meetings were good, and the stereoption service on Monday, night was a decided society. The Barbacks was packed and the proceeds the best that has been for years.

Winnipeg III. was the next stormine the officers, Ensign Culbert and Capt. Watson, although they had short motice, announced the meetings well and a well-filled house precied the service and the proceeds were very good.

Brandon.—Here Adit, Scott and Capt. Matson, although they had short motice, announced the meeting well and we had a house full, the proceeds being over twenty dollars.

Begina came next and I arrived there in time for breaklast. Adjt, and Mrs. Cummins had just farewelled and were moving the same day, but the meeting was well anounced and a good crawd came to the acvice and the proceeds were very good.

Moose Jaw.—Here Eusign Sheppard and Capt. MeLennan are making chings move. The Barracks was filled for the stereoption service and the proceeds were ever twenty dollars.

Maple Creek for Sanday. Here he soldiers are holding meetings show, willing for the Army to send them, soldiers. It has not yet been opened and established as a Carps. We had good meetings and a crowded house for, each continue that arriving, but the effects, failed the arriving, but the effects, failed the arriving, but the effects.

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On Monday night Medicine Hat. Bather late striving, but the officers, capt. Bryenton and Liout, Richards, had the meetings well announced and lichests sold. The Barracks was crowded and finances were good.

High River.—Here Leutenants Berg, and Bell are making themselves felt in town. Here is a nice, thriving little corps, the officers are loved by the soldiers and all the townfolk. Souls are getting saved and the officers are believing for a revival. They, boomed the lickets and a jammed house was the result; standing room was at a premium. Some brought their own chairs, Proceeds of the service, \$37.90.

Wetaskiwm for Sunday. Here Capt. Askin has been holding on alone and making progress against the powers of darkness. The cops is in a good spiritual condition. Good meetings all day Sunday.

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Saskatoon.—Reached here on Dec. 2nd and gave the Storcopticon Service the same might. The Barracks was inthe same might. The Barracks was inthe and the proceeds over \$20,00. From there Ensign Magoe has been called away to the deathbed of her mather. She has the sympathy of her contact officers and her soldiers in her becreavement. May God sastim and contror her in her sorrow.

Insign and her Livadenant, McElmoyle, have been doing a good work here, and in the Basign's observe Ensign Hall has been able filling her place. A number of soule have been done store the place. A number of soule have been about a good work.—Ins. M. Hardy, Ensign.

St. Thomas.—On Thursday, Det. 18, an Indian meeting was ted by Abdul. Rollman, assisted by a few courades, in antire costone. Charasses and restingues were given in the Indian teature. On Sunday we had three sectors of the Sunday we had three sectors for salvation.—A. B.

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Band Chat.

Fernic, B. C.—Our Band is making good progress now. We have thirteen players, and three learners The brothers Goodwin, three in num the brothers Goodwin, three in the ber are proving a great help to us, spiritually and musically. On Sunday, December 19th, the Band led day, Decembe the meetings. 21 44

Peterborough Silver Band has had Peterborough Silver Band has had the pleasure of welcoming two more. Bandsmen into its ranks, in the persons of Bandsman F. Brooks, late of the Cleveland Staff Band, who has taken up hass trouboue; also Deputy-Bandmaster Halnes from Hallfax, who has taken up solo euphonlius. The Band worked hard at the Christmas sevenading.

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The Peterborough Banid sends its
New Year's Greeting to Bandsmen
throughout the Dominion. We like
to hear of them all through "our"
valuable column—Banid Chat.—E. H.

Ottawa No. 1 and II. Bands Ottawa No. I and II. Bands are, in the optnion of an Headquariers Officer, who recently visited the Imperial City among the best spiritual, hard-working combinations in the Dominion. Although in annibers they are not great yet their energy and whole-hearied service so struck our informant that be waxed enthusiastic over the Band's when speaking to a War Cry man.

Toronto I, Bandsmen had a "ripping" time on Monday, December 27th. The hove journeyed to the Hall at night, especting to spend an hour or two at practice, but to their surprise, they found themselves face to face with weirspiral pared for a Christians Band tea. Captain and Mrs. Townsend and a number of the Sisters were responsible for this arrangement. The Band came up in full force, and a good social time was enjoyed. with well-spread tables pre-or a Christmas Band tea.

Hamilton L Band did some splendid Christopes Screnading, raised the inc sum of \$150,00, new monstre has recently been been add new monstre bas recently been added to the Instrumentation, which now numbers almost thirty pieces. The latest music its being played, and Bandmaster Woodard is leading his men in a manner worthy of the Ambillons City.

Winnipag L—We received a very pleasant surprise on Sunday when Captain McGrath et ered building. There is a warm corner in the hearts Captain McGrath or ered building. There is a warm corber in the hearts of the Band boys for the Captain. On Tuesday evening the roundred the Band practice, We appreciate this article nor of bindeases, and say, "Thank you, Cautain."

* * Bandsman Redburn, c. Vancouver 1, writes, saying that the Y. P. Band has been reorganised, owing to the transfer of several Junior Hand boys

transier in several jamer train hops to the Sentor Band.

The Sentor Band is certing down to some graf hard practice, for the Bandsmen want to surprise the Commissioner when he comes West in a few weeks time.

郵 塘 Thesday, December 11th was a night of attractions in Regina, and among them was a surprise visit of a number of Moore law commandes, several of them being laundsauen. It is not often now that the strains of an Army Band are heard on Regina streets, it was, therefore all the more refreshing to have our contrades with us.

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At the invitation of Cuptain Lankin, they pitched right in under the leadership of Bandanaster Delamons.

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Saskatoon Baul Is making fully progress, but is in need of one or two fitst corner players. Those who could come and would like particulars regarding work, etc., should write to H. Moon P. O. Box 934, Saskatoon Sask.

DRUNKARD - SAVING IN TORGNTO. HAVE YOU WAS

How Salvation Army Officers are Wresting the Victims of the Britis Fiend from His Unboly Grass.



onto Corps recently, some notorious drust-ards have been amongst the penitants at the

mercy sent. These converts have. been cared for in a special manner by the Officers in charge, who have visited and prayed with them, helped them through thucs of greatcarefully until they have become strong in the Lord.

In one instance an Officer went home with a man who had come to the morey seat under the influence of liquor, and stayed with him all night: while others have accompanled the new converts to their work in the early morning, met them at the factory gates at night, and piloted them safely past the saloons that were such a temptation to them. As a result, these men have become sober citizens, and not only do they benefit by the change themselves, but their wives and children are hannier and better cared for.

At No. 1. Corps three designate drunks go: saved during one week. The first one was a man for whom the Soldiers had been praying for many years. He had started drinking at the early age of stateen, and had been a regular old boozer for a long period. One Saturday night he came into the meeting and began to make a disturba**n**ce, The Sergeant-Major went down and spake to him. and the man then wanted to have a fight. At this critical mannest Captain Townsend came to the rescue, and he hivited the drunk to come and sit on the platform. The man came and sat quietly by the Captain for the remainder of the meeting, looking a sorry and pitful sight. with one eye badly blackened as a result of a street encounter some time before. At the conclusion of the meeting he got up and made a brief anology for his comfuet. then went home. Next night he came into the Hall just as the prayer meeting was starting. The Captain saw him and was soon pleading with him to get saved. He came to the mercy seat and obtained pardon and deliversince.

There is an interesting sequel to this story, and it occurred on the following Friday. Mrs. Townsend was leading the meeting, when a man in the audlence, known to be a great drunkard rose up and came forward to the mercy seat. As soon as he obtained peace, he got up from his knees and went down the giste to speak to the convert of Saturday, The two men shook hamls, and the congregation looked on, wondering,

"I've been looking for this man for some time," said the first convert, "he is the one who gave me the black eye, and I vowed I'd never forgive him but meeting him under such circumstances as this, I must let all old gradges be swallowed an in the sea of God's forgetfulness."

Then there was general rejoicing for the spirit of love and goodwill bail complered hate and malice,

The Recruiting-Sergeant took convert number two, home that night, and there was more rejoicing amongst his family. Next morning

T several of our Tor the Captain went to visit his home onto. Corps recently, and heart the following pretty distributions and heard the following protty little sound of praying and singing to the house, the ex-drumbard's Title daughter got up out of her bed and and started to nd out what it all meant. She found that it was ber papa who was singles, while makes looked happier that she had deno for years. "Ob. papa," she gried out. "I'ye never seen you so havey before You have always come home drunk." Then she ran to her father, and, climbing on his knee, but her arms round his neck and gave him a warm bles. The next night the wife came to the mercy seat and a get ... saved. And so this Christmas was the very happiest in their lives, as they afterwards testled: They also did their best to make Christmas happy for others too, and sladly save the Captain a bag of potatoes for his poor childrens' dinner.

Another case was that of a mana paper-hanger by trade-who often used to disturb the meetings. One night he came to the mercy seal. The Captain followed up this advantage and helped him in every way he could, and had the satisfaction of seeing him get on nicely. One day he met this convert on the strest, accompanied by his hor. "Look here, Cantain" said the man. "See this new cont my how has not? Well, I've bought that with the money I've saved through not going to the saloon. I get a ton of coal in yesterday, also

The wife of this man pleased at his conversion, that she brought a chicken round to the Quarters one day, and gave it to the Captain's wife to cook for dinner.

At Yorkville Corps a most encouraging work is also in progress, and, as the song goes "læsperate slaners God is saving, spite of every foe."

One convert was a terrible drunkard, and so bad was he, that his name was on the "Indian List," and saloon keepers were forbidden to serve him with liquor. Captain Bunton visited him and persuaded him to come to the meetings. There God took hold of him and he knelt at the mercy scat in repentance. Next day he suggested to his wife that they start tamily worship. heartily agreed, but as neither of them could read it seemed as if they would have to given up the idea of reading a portion from the Bible. Then their little boy apoke op. "I can read father," he said: "just you listen." He fetched the Bible and laboriously spelled cutes few sentences, and so he was there and then installed as reader of the dally portions.

So now they have prayer and libble reading in the home moraling and night.:

There are but a few of the stories that could be told about the good work going on in the Corns of Toronto, but they serve to show that there is hope for the drunkard, and that His blood can make the vitest clean. God speed our Officers in their noble efforts to rescue the victims of drink from the need that holds them in such cruel bondage.

for the fell way Shert Story Codes lf sot, send in market at eace. The Canana tion closes on the

21st of JANUAR **VINSTITUTO COLUMNA**

OUTEN ALEXANDRA'S BATE

The General's Message and Majesty's Gracium Rob.

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Our Leader wrote as teneral "Heartiest and most recongratulations of myself as a people; praying that your sa may have many added you be courage efforts for the roll of row and the promotion of a purity and gladness througher Empire.

To which Her Majesty graves replied: -

The Queen thanks you very see for your most kind contents and thought of her this for a Majesty greatly appreciates of good wishes, and hopes per la is satisfactory

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PURIFICATION BY FAITH.

SUBSTANCE OF AN ADDRESS BY THE REV. JAMES CAUGHEY. "And put no difference between us and them, purifying their hearts by faith."-Acts xv. 9.



heart, for they shall see God," Jesus says. And Peter says "Put no difference between

us and them, purlyfing their hearts The distinction between by faith." these two statements is this: Jesus tells you the blessedness of such a state, and Peter tells you how you may obtain it.

Why does God purify the heart by The fact that God has said faith? that He purifies the heart by faith ought to satisfy us that there are the very best of reasons for such a course; but this is not the only

Man was rulped by helleving the devil, and God has determined that he shall be saved by believing in Him. Unbelief corrupts a man, damns him, links him to the devil, and plunges him into the depths of Falth, on the contrary, elehell. vates him, parties him, saves him, links him to God, places him on the everlasting throne, and makes eternal sunshine to settle on his head.

Worth Living and Dying For,

The doctrine of justification by is the glory of Christianity, and is as old as creation, for, on the very day that man fell. God introduced the new system of salvation. And the very first human spirit that entered Heaven went there a martyr for the doctrine, for Abel, plous, meek and humble, looking through the blood of the lamb he was sacrificing, on to God's Lamb, bearing away the world's guilt, believed and was fustified

Hold fast this doctrine; talk about it to your children, as you sit around the hearths of your homes; tell it to your neighbours as you walk by the way, and mingle with them in your daily calling; preach it, live it, and, if necessary, die for it. It will be the salvation of your soul. of your family, of your country, of the world.

Faith secures all the glory to God. If God, at the time the israelites were perishing of thirst, had given Moses a great sledge-hammer, and he had gone to that rock, pulled off his coat, and commenced work, the people would have said, "See, arms, what muscle he has! There's power, there's strength! He knows the fissures of the rock. Ah! he knows where to strike. He has the people. Glory be to Moreuf

But surely nobody looking at that insignificant rod would say, "Glory he to Moses," but "Glory be to God." So it is in the doctrine of salvation hy falth-it secures all the glory to God. The poor, trembling, agitated penitent at the foot of Calvary, when his guilt is washed away, when his troubled spirit is hushed into a calm; when the fearful storm of wrath has passed and the sunshine of heavenly grace opens upon his soul; when that memogable sentence of Jesus, "It is finished," comes rushing on his car, borne down on the wings of the eighteen centuries— he listens to it, believes it, and is saved by it. Then he cries, "Glory bo to God!" The seraphin, the cherubin, the archangels, join in the

ESSED are the pure in chorus and the glory is secured to God.

Faith's Limitless Possibilities.

What is faith? Faith is a divine conviction of the realities of eternity; a mental discernment of the invisible things of which the Bible speaks; an eye looking back, and seeing in thecentre of the world's history on the summit of Calvary. the Son of God dying for man; an eye that looks up and sees the ever-lasting God upon the throne of the universe, governing all that is; sees heaven with all its glory, hell with all its agonies, its horrors, its boundless woes. Indeed, faith is said to be the substance of things hoped for; not exactly the things themselves, but the substance of them which the long arm of faith can reach even across the ocean of

The soul never makes a journey to heaven without bringing back some choice things for each of the spiritual senses. To the sight it pic-tures on the mental eye the great City of God, with its golden streets, Its gates of pearl, the great white throne, and robes and ranks of the heavenly host, the river of life, the visions of Indescribable magnifi-cence. To the ear it brings the melody of the golden harps, the strain of angel anthems. In short it creates a beaven for every sense, and sets the whole family of them-longing for it, and then feeds them with the substance of things hoped for.

Yet this is not saving faith. Savlng faith includes assent—an assent to such 'ruths as "He died for our sins, and rose again for our justifi ention"--and trust--not "i trust 1 shall be saved some time, to-morrow. next year, on a dying bed," but a trust in the merits of Christ for a salvation—an enlightened hearty, hold trust in Christ, just now. exclaiming with confidence the eye fixed on the dying Saviour. Lord, Thou canst, Thou will. Thou dost save.

"What then," asks a penitent sinner, "must I believe, in order to ob tain a pardon?" You have it in these words "He is the propitiation for our sins and not for ours only. but for the sins of the whole world. That is to say, He covered them suffered for them, bore them. And one thing is as clear as light—if He bore them, suffered for them, died for then, you need not do so.

in other words, "Was theatonement complete?"

I answer, this sacrifice was so complete that it cannot be mended. it was a more complete satisfaction that you could have made, if you had suffered in hell for a whole eternity. Yes, if all the angels were to come down from heaven and cover the Hill of Calvary with crosses, and each one was to die as a sacrifice for our sins, they could not add one whit to the completeness of the atonement Christ made when He bowed His head and died. You cannot understand it, believe it, trust in it, and not be saved.

(To be continued.)

5,000 CHRISTMAS MEALS SUP-PLIED AT WINNIFEG.

A Train Load of Wood Donated.

(By wire.)

In Winnipsg, The Salvation Army tock the lead in distributing Christcheer to the poor. Brigadler Burditt aided by many willing workers, was enabled to place 861 baskets otherwise would iuto homes that have been without Christmas dinner also to provide a dinner in the Citadel ou Christmas Day, for 659 persons, mostly homeless men, making a total of nearly 5,000 meals supplied. The generous-hearted citizens entered enthusiastically into this undertaking. The appearance of the collecting pots upon the main thoroughfares was welcomed and the necessary fuel to keep these pots boiling, supplied in no stinted manner. The brave comrades who took their stand opposite the pots in the zero weather, were the recipients of many a cheering and encouraging remark

For many days previous, the Provincial Headquarters was the scene of manifold activities necessary to the preparation of this big annual effort, which has so thoroughbly commended itself to the public that not only were the citizens of Winnipeg ready to respond, but so soon as it became known through the as it became known, turough the press, kind friends in the outside towns forwarded donations and clothing. One of the large wood dealers also placed a train-load of wood for distribution among the deserving cases, into the hands of The Salvation Army, - Brigadier Bur-

CHRISTMAS AT BOWMANVILLE.

A Bowmanville paper thus reports the Christmas meetings at that

The Salvation Army held a suc-essful Christmas Tree and entercessful Christmas Tree tainment in their Barracks, Tues-day evening when a fair audience listened attentively to an interesting programme, the meeting being presided over by Mr. M. A. James. A Christmas chorns by the Juniors and prayer by Lieutenant Holl opened the programme. Vocal solos were given by Marold Burns, Grace Barton and Lieutenant Helt; recitations by Ha Mollon, Eva Gibson Sidney Lescombe, Edua Fletcher Cyrll Les-combe. A trio was nicely sung by Annie Barton, Lily and Ina Burns. Annie Barton and her dolls held a dialogue Club-swinging by a class drilled by Miss Emily Mills gave a fine exhibition. Frank Calver, Roy Mills and Cyril Loscombe gave a dialogue and Nina Lascombe and Ina Burns told of Heity's secret. Misses Muriel Calver, Grace Parton Norma Loscombe and Male! Mills gave a dialogue entitled, "Behind gave a distagne the Scenes," and Muriel Calver and Lily Burns presented a tableau, "Rock of Ages" Mr. Wes. Percy efficiently performed the duties of pianist.

The number of greatest interest to the roungsters was the unloading of a monster but beautiful Caristmas Tree laden with gifts."

On November 23th, Adit, Smith and the Kings on Band came Odeses to give us a musical treat, which was enjoyed by all. A CONTRACTOR

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THE DRUNKARD.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found an article which shows that The Salvation Army is still successfully engaged in its old trade of saving the drunkard. "Go straight for souls and go for the worst," is now as over the great watchword of The Army. Under the heading, "Who Wants the Drunkard?" a newspaper editorial recently said:-

"Now the question arises, who wants the drupkind. The initial product that has unused so much suffering, money and tears must be worth something, and yet the saloon does not went limb The Meaned face and mandin rate is emburn to drive decent who any proper the line of the ball The saleon hoper feels like bloking his handlwork out into the street. The trader does not want the drunks d. His credit is bad and he is a unisance with no cash. We don't want the drumkard. He is economically medicient. The churches do no want bim. He would interfere with their respectability. zesp∧ tabili'y. The only beings who are anxious for the drunkard, are God and The Salvation Army."

We do not, of course, claim all that, still it does seem that the drunkard is the peculiar care of The Salvation Army and we trust that he will always be as welcome at our Halis as now. But, cannot we do more than make him welcome when he comes into our building? Cannot we seek him out; visa him in his home; call for him a: the saloon, and show him in a variety of ways that we know of One who can give him the victory over his besetment. Some of these men would do good, but evil is present with them in the shape of habits which are stronger than human wills—they must have Divine grace to assist Let us do all that we can to lead them to the Lion of the tabe of Judah, who can break every chain. and give them the victory again and

STORM-BOUND OFFICERS.

Praises Brought Stove-Pipes Down,

Policeing a seremble walk through rain and mad, and a threesalle from in an open boat, three Commers in the Notre Dame Bay district—Captain Destroys, then count Crocker, and then count Barrett were forced to land on an island To their for they found come Salvoltenies there, who rendered the shorta-boand Officers every assist-

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WAR CRY The Commissioner's

"TRAGEDIES OF WOMANHOOD."

BY MRS. BRAMWELL BOOTH

T. H. Q. Christmas Treat.

Also the Celebration of the Commissioner's Fiftieth Birthday.



HE Annual Christmas Treat for T. 11. Q. Staff and their wives and children, took place on Tuesday, Dec. 28th, at

the Temple. 1, was also made the occasion for the celebration of the Commissioner's fiftieth birthday. The Tennile has been very prettily decorwith flags, mettoes, and coloured lights, and a large Christmas Tree on the platform sparkling with tinsel and tiny balbs of light, aroused joyous anticipations in the minds of all the younger fells

During the alternoon, various friendly contests took place between the Cadets and the Younger Officers of T. H. Q., such as tall hustle and 192-0, war, while tile lasses enjoyed games of a less strenuous nature. and the children formal delight in a narry-ge-round, worked by themsalves.
At 5 o'clock the west served, and,

after all had enjoyed an ample repast, short speeches were made by Commissioner and Mrs. Coombs, and by Colonel Mapp Praise to God for all His goodness during the five years that the Commissioner has been in command of Capada was

N a recent issue of "The

ed under the above striking heading, which icle," an article appear-

Sunday School Chron-

the dominant note of what the Com missioner said. He also impressed mon parents the importance of letting their children see that true religion touched every part of their lives, and that they had just as much right to ask Christ to share in their playing as in their praying. Volleys of cheering made the Temple ring when Mrs. Coombs rose to speak. She referred to the progress that The Army had made since the days when she first became an Officer in its ranks. She was one of the first three Halle ujah issses commissioned, and the Young People of to-day could bardly realise what it meant then to be a girl Captain in The Army. She rejoiced that The Army of to-day offered such a wide field of usefulness for the young. and hoped they would make the most of their opportunities.

Colonel Mann voiced the sentiments of all present, when he congratulated the Commissioner on attaining his Efficia birthday. He then read a contractifitary cological which had reached the Commissioner that day from a friend far-distant. it was no follower-

"With many others, we think of, pray for, and affectionately greet you, on the inbide of your life. We preise flog for your work, influence and example, and pray that He may long spare you to lead on His hosts."

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is the outcome of an interesting interview with Mrs Bramwell Booth;

"I have no doubt," says the writer, "that the secret of the overwhelming success of the Women's Social Work of The Salvation Army, may be attributed mainly to two great influences—first to religion, upon which all the work is based, and secondly, to the self-sacrificing per-vice rendered by the Officers-many of them ladies of high birth and culture-to the women who have fallen. They treat them as 'sisters.'

never as rases esting at the same table with them, and even sharing their bedrooms.

We sim at the reformation of character, said Mrs Booth. It has been proved over and over again. that merely to give financial bely to degraded men and women, is only to mostpone the day of their refor-When we can get a woman to begin to live the new life, look the to God for strength, then we may expect progress, for there is hope. and our thief work lies in the direcremoving stambling-blocks from her path. But, leave the character universely, and the missin and wirefchedress and hopelessaess re-Table

"I siked Mrs. Booth if she had and idea of the extent of the evil of Officers were combining.

In landen alone, the resided it is extinmed that there are over 100,000 prostitutes. But what, in my opinion, is the most serious feature of the work," she added "is the terrible increase of immovality amongst people who are, apparently, living respectable lives.

"'This statement' continued Mrs. Booth, 'is based upon facts—and facts which have been garbered at first hand. Sometimes the information has come from people who have desired the belp of The Army on be half of their friends, but in the great majority of e see it has come from the individuals themselves. When they have found themselves in a net, from which there is no escape, they have personally sought our advice. Last year alone 57\$, Венте свет шейе регоскі кары cation to Headquarters but only about one-half that number professional fallen' women'

Decay of Home Life.

The obvious question arising out of this appalling statement is, What are the influences which have tend. ed to increase the evil? I put the curstion to Mrs. Booth, and she re ferred briefly to a few of them.

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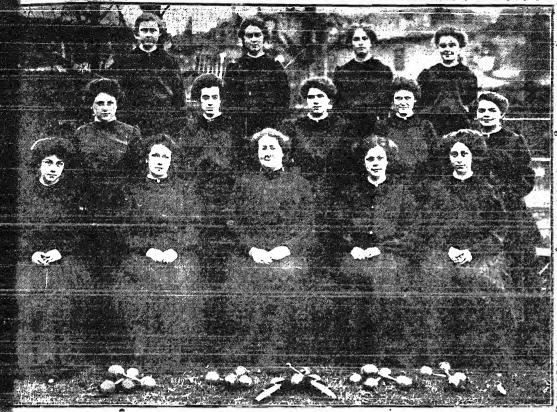
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GREAT GENERAL.

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Sound.-Eight souls have We held a suppor reaid of our new Hall .--

THE GENERAL

Addresses Crowded and Enthusiastic Audiences at Groydon.

His Worship the Mayor (Major Fox), the High Sheriff (Sir Frederick Edridge), and Influential Citizens Support Our Leader.



HE General has had a magnificent day at Croydon.

Eighty-five seekers were registered, and the foundations laid in hundreds, if not thousands of lives for still greater victories.

Travelling down to this great town, which is so near a neighbour to the illimitable Metropolis, The General remarked to one of bis Staff, "Sixty years ago I tramped this district on the same errand."

To draw a rapid contrast between that far-off day and the present would greatly assist the observer of events in arriving at an estimate of Sunday's triumphs.

Things are always great or small by comparison. Placed side by side with The General's earliest effort, or even with the beginnings of The Army in Croydon forty years ago, Sunday was a mighty achievement. Compared with our Leader's last visit five years ago, which be himself acknowledged at the time to be the greatest day ever spont in the tewn, it registered a definite ad-

At first it must be frankly .con-

fessed, indications pointed the other way. The morning broke grey and cold. It took some courage to turn out: while, despite the honest efforts of the furnace men, those who did assemble in the Grand Theatre muffiled in gloves and overcoats, might, with some show of reason, have imagined themselves within the Arctic Circle.

It is not easy, as The General himself has wittily said, to get saved with cold feet. Our Leader realised the difficulty, and seized bold of it at the start. By the warmth of his opening salutation he set all hearts aglow. "Let us," he said "begin smiling, however we may finish." and by the time the audience had danced and laughed and chapted their hands they had almost forgotten their cola feet.

But The General had a shrewd suspicion that these effects were not wholly attributable to physical causes, so he slightly varied the prescription-thus:-

"You're not signing at all well. Come, now, cheer up and let's have a good size. If some of you would only get saved from destring, then you would take to shouting. it's

your doubts that are devils-they shni your mouths and stop the glory, from coming out."

By this means the temperature was raised, and when Colonel Lawley tried a new solo to the tune of "John Brown's Body" with the chorus-

Make a thorough consecration, And do it right away,

the audience took up the refrain with such heartiness that their circulation became completely revived. Then The General seized the op-

portunity for an hour's plain, straight, solid, fatherly talk, showing that unless you have hold of the right end of the stick, or, in other words, that your religion is thing better than pious humbug and pretence, it is all a very channel aced affair. "All your Christmas presents and amusements, all your Christmas clatter and provisions can't give you rest. They will give you unrest, and some of them send you to the devil. But Jesus will give you rest."

Reproof was freely mingled with argument, illustration, and appeal, as for instance when The General raising his voice to a ringing pitch.

"What swarms of liars-vewbreakers—there are in the religious world. They wouldn't lie to their neighbour yet they don't mind lying to God. They promise Him they will do certain things: then they see some bogey in the way and run of. frightened out of their lives."

The solemn truths called forth us hesitating assent from every hors. There were sixteen seekers.

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THE WEEK END'S DESPATCHES

"He that Converteth a Sinner from the Error of His Ways Shall Save a Soul from Death."

ARE YOU A SOUL-WINNER?

WALKED NEAR THE MERCY SEAT.

Was Button-holed and Vielded to

We have had a giorlous week-end at Leamington. On Sunday night we rejoiced over four seekers at the Cross. Two lads volunteered when the invitation was given, and one of them told how his dear brother had always prayed for him. With tears in his eyes and sobs in his voice he asked the comrades and friends to remember him at the throne of Grace, that he may continue henceto live a victorious life.

Our meeting had closed, when one man who had been under conviction for some time walking near the mercy seat on his way to the door, was button-holed and we told him that he may never again be so near

the mercy seat.

\[\text{He said, "Well. I should."} \]

'We answered, "Yes, brother, you should and will." He did kneel at the mercy seat, and God wonderfully saved him. We had a Hallelujah wind-up.

Our War Crys go splendidly, Sisters Dawson and Jones are firstclass boomers-sell out every week, and still the neonle want more.

A cornet has appeared, and still there's more to follow,-Captalu Colden and Lieutenant Marshall,

THE DEVIL'S TREASURE.

St. John N. B. No. I., is glad to re-

port blessing on the labours of Adjuant and Mrs. Mercer. "The Ex-"The Ev. posure of the Devil's Treasure Chest" was made at a recent ser-One of Satan's treasures was a Bible showing how he uses the Bible to delude souls,

The weekend meetings were goed, closing with one soul at the

mercy seat.
On Wednesday evening of this, week Adjutant and Mrs. Mercer arranged for a Soldlers' ten and Comell in the Junior Hall which much entoyed, Staff-Captain Born was pr sent and gave a most inspir-ing talk.--E. J. L.

MRS. MAJOR MCLEAN AT DART-MOUTH.

On Sunday, December 12th, Dartmouth's afternoon and night meetings were led on by Mrs. Major Me-Lean, whose sweet singing and earnest talks were an inspiration to all. Envoy and Mrs. Gerow also assisted the meetings. We say, come tigain, comrades.-A. G. Gressive,

South-West Arm. -- On Sunday December 5th, we had a memorial service for Adjutant David Moniton. Many were in tears as Ensign Wiltshire spoke of the inte Adjutant's godly life. Seven persons kacit and realised that the same Christ who spoke peace to Adjutant Moulton Over seventeen years ago, also par doned them.

BRIGADIER BURDITT ON TOUR.

Salvation Siftings From the N. W.

Moose Jaw.-On December 7th, we had with us our P. O., Brigadler Burditt, also Captain Webber. Although it was a very cold night, a fair crowd turned out to hear the Brigadier. who also enrolled four recruits. The Brigadier delivered a powerful adwhich two dress., at the close of persons yielded to God.

We also had a visit from Mrs. Captain Laidlaw, She conducted several meetings while with us, in which we rejoiced over souls seeking God. Eleven persons have been forward recently.

Regina has also been visited by the Brigadier and Captain Webber. Four souls sought salvation.

At Calgary, the P. O. might have rough weather, but for the fact that a nice "chinook" eame along just before he arrived. The meetings were held in the Lyceum Theatre which, at the close of the day, saw the salvation of five souls.

On account of severe weather and the fact that we have no Hall. as yet at Calgary, cottage meetings are being bold at the homes of the They are well attended, profitable seasons, well worth the distances walked to the meeting place.

correspondent says, Our Thursday we all met at the home of Brother Proctor, and although the storm without was so bad that the were all stoped, the comrades within had a very real sense of that peace which passeth all understand-

ONE VACANCY.

But Four Filled It.

Six souls recently got converted. and it will do you good to see the the converts get into uniform and take part in the meetings.

On Sunday night Sister Cave farewelled for the U. S. A. The Captain asked for some one to take her instead of one coming four eame.

On Sunday afternoon (Dec. 12th.), three souls sought salvation. At night they took their stand in the open air and we rejoiced over four more captures. We're believing for a real revival .- J. Davis.

CONVICTED WHILE IN A CHURCH.

Belleville,-Adjutant and Mrs. Parsons are leading us on. These Offi-cere seem to know just what wants doing, and they are doing it. Every is on the increase. Backsliders have come home and sinners have been converted. In one case, a man for whom the comrades had prayed, was sitting in a church on Sunday evening, December 2th, when the Spirit of God spoke to him, and he left the church, came straight into our meeting and sought salvation at 'the otercy seat,-B, W, GOOD WEEK-END FIGHT AT OTTAWA.

Three Souls Surrender.

Three souls sought salvation at meetings conducted at Ottawa la by Captain and Mrs. Harbour.

week-end's services commenced with a rousing open-air, commanded by Captain Bartha Thompson: and the free-and-ensy was of a lively nature, conducted by Randmaster Harris

Sunday moraing's meeting was a real rousing time. Captain Richards Bible reading was much appreciated inspiring. The free and easy was led by Ensign Ducker, in a rousing, old-fashioned style, much to the delight and appreciation of the audience and Soldiers, and Captain Simmonds pleaded with, and exhorted the unconverted to return to The salvation meeting night was well attended, and the crowd listened attentively to Captain Bertha Thompson, The prayer meetine concluded a beautiful day's fight. with three sonis in the fountain.-

Captain Sparks, of Toronto, was with us on Saturday night, leading the testimony meeting, and a very

Sunday morning the Prison Gate meeting was conducted by an trianman, ably assisted by a Scotchman, supported by a Canadian and an Englishman. The boliness meeting was a heart-searching time, led by Sunday after-Brigadler Hargrave. noon the children had a blessed time; being Decision Sunday, the Brigadier spoke to them, and it was a beneficial time to all concerned.

MRS. BRIGADIER ADRY VISITS SUSSEX.

Ensign and Mrs. Urguhart Also Came Along and Gave Musical Meeting.

Sussex, N. B.-We very much enloyed the visit of Mrs. Brigadier Adby, who conducted the week-end incetings of December 5th. The attendances, in spite of bad weather, were good, and finances above the

A very special event took place Friday night. December 19th. when Ensign and Mrs. Urquhart, of Moneton, favoured us with a very interesting musical Demonstration, which took on well. Mrs. Urqubart sang some beautiful soles, which were much appreciated.

The Ensign is a very talented musician, and plays twelve different instruments. The crowd was good and the sum of \$20.00 was realised.

We are expecting another visit from Easign and Mrs. Urquhast is the near future.-E. M. O.

There was a blizzard blowing, but the little band of Workers from Dovercourt, headed by Adjutant Habkick, bravely faced the storm, up the bill to Eariscourt, where a bright salvation meeting was held in Little's Hall. A nice crowd gathered, who listened eagerly to the songs and testimony.

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The Wife of the British Chancellor of the Exchequer Talks About The Salvation Army.

It was recently the happy privilege of a "Social Gazette" interview-er to chat with the wife of the Chancellor of the Exchoquer about Th Army in one of the stately rooms at Downing Street, and he was delighted-though not at all surprised-to find Mrs. Lloyd-George a sincere and ardent friend of our many-sided Work.

It will be recalled that some time age Mrs. Lloyd-George attended one of the big demonstrations at the Albert Hall, and also figured on the platform on an important occasion at Bloomsbury Chapel, with Mrs. Bramwell Booth.

As to the former occasion, Mrs. George confessed herself greatly inpressed with all she saw. The demonstration liseif she said, was most effective from The Army's own point of view, giving a wonderfully vivid picture of the scope and value of the work being done. From her own observations of The Army's operations in Wales as also in London, Brighton, and other large cities, she was satisfied that the picture was no exaggerated one.

Cabinet Minister as Listener.

"No Impartial person" she said, "who watches their processions and meetings in the streets of the metropolls could come to any other conclusion than that a most effect-Ive work is being done. My husband used frequently to go to hear them on Wandsworth Common; he went so often, in fact, that the Officers got to know him. He, too greatly ad-

It will give no surprise to learn that, with her warm human sym-pathles Mrs. George halls with keen appreciation the growing attention that is being given by The Army to Social Operations.

"These humanitarian efforts" she sald, "convince the man in the street that The Army's religion is downright carnest, and this gives It a firmer grlp upon the people. Of course, there is a large element of risk in this work-risk i mean of being imposed upon. There are always individuals, even in the higher ranks of life, who think first of the But no sensible loaves and fishes. person would penalise the deserving cases for the sins of the undeserving. I must confess that I have often viewed with great admiration work as that which is done night by night here in Westminster."

Curiously enough conversation turned on The Army woman-Officers' uniform.

"I think it very becoming," was Mrs. George's prompt verdict "Some people, I hear do not like the pokebonnet; but it certainly suits majority who wear it and, still better, it sults the work they do. it is once appropriate and distinguishing; it makes the wearer known, and saves unnecessary explanations. Indeed I like the whole uniform. It is quiet in colour and modest and picturesque in style."

Mrs. George contends that one of the dangers of religious workers is

that, without strict oversight, they should become slack and neglectful. She does not think that all facts considered the discipline imposed by Headquarters upon its Officers is severe. Discouragements, difficulties, human infirmity, opposition, are all apt to chill the ardour and diminish the efforts of isolated social workers. By its constant appeal to the heroic within them. The Avmy discipline gets the very best out of its workers-which is equally good for the workers The Army and the

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Sensible Suggestion.

"I think the interest taken by General Booth and his Staff in the welfare of the nation's children, as safeguarded in the new Children's Act, is splendid. I sincerely hope that the department which The Army proposes to establish for forcing the provisions of measure will be placed on an efficlent footing and soon brought into vigorous operation. To save the children will, in the long run, save the country. If the children can be rescued from demoralisation and brought up sober, more than half the battle will have been won."

"What do you think of our Rescue Work?"

"I think a great deal of it. Some very appreciative refuz. ks were made to me about it at the Bloomsbury Chapel meeting."

"Are you of opinion that this particular problem will ever be solved by present methods, Mrs. George?" nere is certainly a great deal to be achieved but I do not see how the methods now adopted can be improved upon. All that is necessary is for them to be more vigorously and widely employed. Many of the Churches are, of coarse, doing nothing in this way. It would, perhaps, tend to confusion if each Church tinkered with the problem. better way would be for this work to be left by common consent to one or more organisations like The Army, and each Church subscribe its quota towards the expense. I can conceive that some Churches would not readily consent to do this. but there are others that would be quite willing."

Perhaps the teeding of the children, however, claims the largest share of Mrs. George's heart.

"it is the children who suffer mos through our social injustices and in-"To deprive equalities." she said. the little ones of food, is seriously to handican them from the start for the struggle of life. I am told by my friends who have witnessed this form of philanthropy that in a very short time the children look wonderfully the better for it."

"You do not think parental reweakened, Mrs. spensibility is George?"

"I don't know. There are, of course parents who do not try to feed their children well, and I can imagine that if others discharge this for them they will be still less inclined to do so: but, on the other hand, there are undoubtedly those who have been brought by this means to see the importance of good food for their children, and plenty of it. But the important point is, that whatever benness, the children must be fed; and where parents are found guilty of wilful neglect, they must be sternly dealt with by the law. This is one direction in

which the Children's Act should be

Mrs. George also spoke highly of the opportunities for useful Christian service which The Army offers to its young men and women. Now the days, she thought Christian ideals and social enthusiasms made a unique appeal to the youth of Great Britain; these ideals and enthusiasms, unless transmuted into action, would pass away, leav-ing a greater void than they had filled. If directed to practical ends, under the guidance of so comprehensive an organisation as Tre Army they would materially belo to inaugurate a new era and build up the Kingdom of God.-D. C.

"TRAGEDIES OF WOMANHOOD."

(Continued from page 8.) daughter in the home."

"But, what of the girl whese mother is unable to give this teaching? the slum mother, whose home is one room? I asked.

"This, Mrs. Booth admitted was a difficulty, and raised the vexed question of the housing of the question of people, which was at the root of many of the problems which confronted the social reformer.

'But,' she added, 'it is the duty. of the Churches to step in here, and to give the girls the education they should rightly receive in the home. The Churches should do more for the moral education of the young people. The education of the dayschools is practically intellectual, although there is an indication that greater attention is to be paid to the physical side of life in the future education of the children.

"If the Churches could get a glimpse of what I have to see if they could read the letters I receive from fallen Sunday School Superintendents and Sunday School teachers, they would realise the importance of giving greater attention to the teaching of morality. So many religious people are so good and sweet that their very goodness scens to oblige them to shut their eyes to things that they should see, in order that they might warn their young people of the dangers that beset their path.

Died of Starvation

From the Maternity Homes The Army Officers go into the Slums on their loving mission of help to the poor women who are in need. How great is that need is shown by a dozen or more cases. Here is a typical one:-

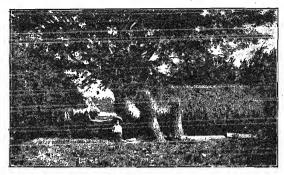
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But there is a bright side to the picture. The work amongst this 'human waste, as ! has been called, has been gloriously successful. Wandering daughters have been restored to their parents, husbands have been reunited, drunkards have been transformed into seber women. and the outcasts have been won back to the side of parity.

"If it were not for those trophles." said Mrs. Booth, with a smile, but hearts would have broken long since at the sight of the terrible tragedies which have so constantly, been brought before us."

America's First Settlers.

AN ACCOUNT OF THE ANCIENT PEOPLE WHO INHABITED CENTRAL AMERICA.



Rural Chiapas, Near the Ruins of Zibalba. The only tools used in building it were a few skilfully wielded machetes: the present day descendants of Voltan do not use the trowel.

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At no considerable distance back, where the land takes a slight tise, in a dense tropical forest, are the rains of a great ancient city—Paleaque, the capital city, Nachan, of Yotan's wonderful Empire of Zibaiba. In the days of its building and the belight of its manicipal and imperial glary—Nachan was large, well-built and populous, perhaps of several hundred thousand inhabitants—the necan, or a lake formed of the intervening lowlands by the river and thereby connecting with the sea, came close to its portuls.

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Inox was the first settler in the western world, and he located in this vale of the Usumachin. He was the sen of Eclo, who was the son of Nimord, the mighty binder, who was the son of Chan, the Serpent, and he came from the land of Vulum Chivin in Eastern Asia. America then lay a vast widerneys, unpeople and princeval, undoubtedly swarning with the decest of wild animals of a multiplicity of species.

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Votan and His Followers Arrivo.

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955 B.C. he found the whole country from Darien to California occupied by a barbarous people, who used the skins of wild beasts for rlothing, cayerus and huts made with branches for shel-ter, and wild fruits and roots, with raw flesh for food. sk for food. Votan was a descendant of Nonh of

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cestors.

It and his followers came by sea from the East, by the same Valum Chivin of Imox and Igh by way of Valum Volan. They arrived in large ships and were white, bearded near had in long flowing robes, hence the same "Tzequiles" given them by the preceding colonists, meaning "met with pottic-ats."

Reclaiming the Savages.



A Muleteer of the Pueblo of San Andres.

apporties America mong its people, and he and his companies to case, and his companies to case, about improving the inhabitants by instruction in the useful and ornamental aris. Sculpture and architecture were taught, as wall as such rediment of manners as the use of the table, table-cloths, dishes, basios, cups and aiphins. He also gave them laws, announced a knowledge of a Supreme Roing, and exhorted them to the practice of brotherly love and other virtues. Votan built a great city almost where he had inside, and called it Nuchan, "City of the Serpents," after the great common ancestor of himself and his people, Chan, the Serpent. By his teachings and by the aid of his companious he soon won back from their rude savagery the debased descendants of the early colonists from their rude savagery the debased descendants of the carly colonists from this own land. The spark of ancestral civilization had not entirely left them. He put forth his best efforts in many directions and shortly had firmly established his own ideas of religion and government, resulting in the large and growing empire of Zibalba, with Nachan as the seat of his might. He because the first Emperor of Zibalba, and, notwithstanding his manifold, duties in this capacity, found time during his reign to make four visita to his original tome in the Old World, on which occasions he witnessed the building of the Temple of King Solomon and belied the ruins of the Tower of Babel. The "Plumed Serpent."

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Towards the close of the long reign to Votan several new bands of Old World men came, undoubtedly induced by the plowing reports he gave of the new country on his several visits to the fatherland. He received them mest cordially, it is said, and shared with them a part in his rapidly growing imperial enterprise.

At the head of one of these arriving contingents was Quetzaleout, the "Planed Serpent." He built up a powerful kingdom. In after years Quetzaleout sailed back to Thaplann, stopping at several places en route, at one of which he built the great pyramid of Cholum. He promised to return again, but never did. When Corteg, the Spunish conqueror, came hundreds of yours later, Mointeauna, the reigning Aztee King, mistook him for the returning Quetzaleout.

BROTHER HENRY THOROGODD, OF THE TEMPLE,

(From the Toronto Star.)

One of the ploneers of The Salva-tion Army in Toronto, died at bis home, 129 Riverdale Avenue, on Saturday, in the person of Mr. Henry Thorogood.

Theregood,
Mr. Theregood came to Terento
from his birthplace in New York
State, when a boy of six years old,
and lived here ever since. Death
was due to pusemonia, and took
place after an illness of cight days.

The late Mr. Thorogood was very popular, and was known to his many friends by the name of "Hank." He leaves a wife, two sons, and three daughters. leaves a wile, daughters,

The funeral service was conducted by Adjutant Kendall, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Baker and a number of Tromple Corns courades.

Brother Thorogood was for many years, snare drummer in the Temple Band. He was as many comrades said, at the memorial service on Sunday night, Dec. 26th, a faithful carnest Christian, and a Salvationist, true to the last. Whether the light was easy or hard, he went through it all, and came out a victor.

The memorial service was an im-pressive time. At the close of Ad-jutant Kendali's address, four souls sought salvation.

Brandon.—On Sinday, Dec. 12, four brothers and one sister were carolled under the flag. On Monday night Siz-ters Speer and McCornack led the Y. P. meeting and one soul sought Christ. C. U. -G. E.

Trenton.—On Sunday night, Dec. 18, Rev. Down of Grace Methodist Church spake. Many people were moved by his words and four knelt at the mercy scat.—II, H.

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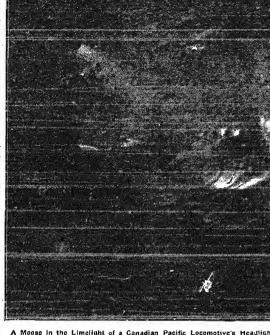
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The traveller by the Canadian Pacific Railway can hardly fail to
be impressed by the peculiar scaring screech of the huge eigine and
the blazing searchlight. The purpose of both is understood when one
realises that on the way through those romantic fastnesses the lordly
moose may at any moment be discovered on the track and may even he
disposed to try his strength against the giant from the cast.

The Captain is known throughout a large part of Java as "The Salvation Army Doctor," and people come to him from a distance of many miles. Amongst the recent patients was one of the Native rulers, known as the Regent of Demak, and another a prince of one of the ruling houses. All the patients are prayed with and told of salvation through Jesus Christ. The Regent of Demak has procured a Dutch Bible, which he is reading and studying.

New South American Headquarters.

A new Headquarters has just heen secured in the progressive City of Buenos Aires. The offices are situated in the heart of the city on one of the main thoroughfares. There is a good balcony on which public announcements can be placed. The address of the new premises is Calle 25 de Mayo, No. 261.

Another Leper Settlement.

An influential committee has been formed in the Island of Sumatra, one of the largest Islands in the East, under the control of the Dutch Government; for the purpose of providing for those of the inhabitants who are stricken with leprosy. The ruling Sultan has offered a splendid site in the shape of a fertile ideald which to situated in the es-tiary of a broad river, and a rich Chinese inhabitant has given the minificient donation of 100,000 guiden for the establishment of a Lep-

The committee is most anxious that

we should take the oversight of the proposed Colony, and we are prom-lsed full liberty for spiritual work amongst the leners. Colonel Govants winds up his account of this offer by the following significant sentence: "But where are the Officers?"

Soul-Saving in India.

Commissioners Fakir Singh and Dutini (Booth-Tucker) have been visiting some of the villages in the Marathi country and in connection with their Tour, Cinematograph views were exhibited for the first time to the admiring gaze of the village people. At each village meeting the number of persons present averaged about six hundred, and at one of these gatherings over one hundred came forward to seek salvation. The pictures of the Life of Christ made a deep impression,

Commissioner Cadman.

The Commissioner has just finished a Tour in the Eastern Territory of the U. S. A., which in every respect has proved successful; large congregations have been stirred by cences of early batles in The Army. About three hindred souls have knell at the mercy scal for cleansing and salvation. An extended Campaign in the Department of the West is

now in full swigs.

When visiting Glen Falls, the Commissioner socidentally went bend over heels down a flight of stales in the dark passage of the Officers.

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cast down and bruised, but not destroyed. An hour and a half later I was in the meeting, which I feared I would not be able to do talked as usual for two hours and captured ten souls in suite of the devil and the

A Drunkards' Convention.

An interesting meeting was arranged in New York, announced as a Drunkards' Convention, at which some thrilling testimonics by noted ex-drunkards were given, including the famous Mary Law, who was imprisoned two hundred times. There were fifty ex-drunkards in all upon the platform. The press took up the matter and reported favourably. The Commander addressed the crowd and at the close a number of ucoble sought salvation

Scandinavian Revival.

During a Campaign recently con-ducted in the City of Worcester, Mass., a heautiful revival broke out, resulting in the conversion of 103

Young People's Day.

New York has followed the example set by the Chief of the Staff in especially catering for the Young People. Recently a Young People's Day was arranged in New York, a special feature being the introduction of practical and helpful papers, which were prepared and read by some of the leading Young People. Some of the older warriors present declared their surprise at the intelligence manifected in these papers.

A Generous Municipality.

The town of Selma, Alabama, makes The Army a grant of \$600.00 per annum for relief work, while the City Council pay \$6.00 per week to cover the cost of the care of any sick people sent by them to The Army. They have also handed over the infirmary free of charge, to be used in connection with the relief and other work. In addition, the worthy people who are recommended by our Officers.

GOOD TIMES AT FERNIE.

Sunday, December 12th, was time of great rejoicing at Fernie, when four souls plunged into the fountain in the night meeting.

We have welcomed into our midst

the three brothers Goodwin former-ly of New Aberdeen. They are earnest workers for God and souls, also good musicians.

In the afternoon meeting Brother Ramsay read to us from the good

On Bunday. December 19th, the meetings were conducted by the Band. In the afternoon they played the "Dead March" at the funeral of a young man who was killed in the mines and the Officers and comrades not in the Band, held a meeting at the last which was appreciated by both jottors and prisoners; so much so that they requested anr meeting as seen as possible.

We had a good meeting at night, fairbling up with one next for sal-vation.—Meeta Brown.



O you consider that the system of midnight free meals and cheap lodgings will solve the problem of the loafer and the casual?" I may be asked. "Is it not likely that it will actually keep men down by enabling them to live with greater ease in their degraded state? In short, are you not

pauperising and degrading, in place of helping?

Let me answer these questions with perfect frankness. No one professes—least of all General Booth and his lieutenants—that the problem of the loafer will be solved by cheap lodgings or free meals. But what is claimed is that the cheap lodgings give poor men, who otherwise, of necessity, would be smid degrading surroundings, clean and uplifting homes, where the whole atmosphere helps to restore their sense of selfrespect, to arouse their manhood and to raise their lives. The man who stays in a Salvation Army Metropole has not come down to the common lodging-house because of the cenveniences there provided; but he does find there accommodation better than $\mathbf{h}_{\mathbf{c}}$ could obtain elsewhere for the same money, and a moral atmosphere that in large numbers of cases stimulates him so that he works out of the common lodging-

Again, so far as the midnight meals are concerned, no one doubts but that a proportion of the men there are wastrels, reduced and kept down through their own fault. But very many are not, and any attempt to differentiate between the two, at that stage, would unquestionably shut out the very man The Army wants to reach and to help. A great deal too much has been made of the pauperising effect of this midnight soup and a seat for half an hour in a warm room in the small hours of the morning. Even the undeserving who come there are surely miserable and unhappy enough—homeless and foodless on a winter night in London—for us to be willing to give them that modicum of aid. I am aware that a Cabinet Minister once boasted in Parilament that he bad joined this hunger line and obtained his bread and soup. I only hope he had the grace to send payment for them afterwards. What test would the critics impose? Common-sense would seem to suggest that the mere fact of a man being out all night in bad weather shows that he has nowhere to go.

I would reply to these doubters in the language of an editorial writer in "The Times."

"Firm believer in political economy as 1 am . I cannot deny that the work which is being done is distinctly good. The pauperising tendency of a howl of soup and a hunch of bread between two and four In the morning, cannot be very strong, and he must be a bold man and a stern, who holds that it is absolutely wrong to feed the hungry and the starving. Certain it is, at any rate, that they cannot be restored to the position of useful citizens unless they are first fed."

Does The Army Encourage the Loafer?

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A FRIENDLY NEWSPAPER.

Editor Gives Army Good Space For. Announcements.

This is how a Dawson paper announces the services at The Army

This evening the regular Saturday night free and easy song service will start at eight. Mr. Hoveland will read the lesson, and Lieut Wright will be in charge of the singing. There will be plenty of good congreguttonal singing and duet by the lady Officers, and a solo "Oh, where indy Omeers, and a solo "On where is My Wandering Boy To-night?" by the Lientenant, Sunday, 11 a.m. pub-lic holiness meeting. Ensign John-stone to be in charge of this service. 'At 3 p.m. free and easy shig song service. All comrades should come prepared to sing a Salvation Army hyun. Mrs. Ensign Johnstone will he in charge of the singing. Lesson Lieutenant Wright. Solos and duets by the lady Officers. At 8 p.m., the big salvation service will take place. Lieutenant Wright will have purer Electronal baye the praise service in charge.
Congregational singing, Solos by
the Licutenant; Duet, "Whispering the Licutemant; Duet, "Whispering Hope" by the lady Officers, Even-ing lesson in charge of Mrs. Ensign Johnstone. All are cordinity invited to all services. The Citadel is warm, bright, and cheerful?

A WEDDING AT AMHERST,

At Amherst Ensign and Mrs. Cavender are working hard at the battle's front. A number of new Soldiers have been transferred to our المنافلات المتحددة أوارا

On Saturday and Sunday, Brothera Mont, Boyce and Grant, from Springhill, nobly assisted, with their lustru ments, which was highly nunreciated. Good crowds and finances.

Monday night a Halleluiah Wedding, when Staff-Captain Barr, assisted by Rev. Mr. Rogers, made Brother Hicks and Sister Mattadall man and wife. The Hall was packed, and an enjoyable time was spent.

Captaln Millar, the G. B. M. man gave us a splendld service on Wednesday night, those present were delighted, but, owing to it being Election Day, the crowd was small

Ensign Cavender, with the rest of his comrades, are in for a mighty revival during the Winter Campaign. Three souls for the week-end.-S.

FRIENDLY SEA CAPTAINS.

They Treat The Army Captain Generously.

We are still pushing the War at Bonne Bay. God is with us in our work, and we are believing for sonis in the future. Our Hall will not hold the crowds that come along on Sunday nights.

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thank, handed him a \$2.00 bill.

The proceeds of a pic social on Thursday, December 9th, amounted

Lieutenant Rowe has returned from Councils in good fighting order.

A WEDDDING IN MOOSE JAW.

Bandsman Druer and Secretary Phillips United.

On Monday, December 13th, Brigadler Burdlit performed the riage ceremony between Bandsman Frank Druer and Corps Secretary Phillips. The Hall was well filled with comrades and friends.. Brigadier Burditt, in his usual

happy style kept the people in good humour, and gave some good advice to the married and also to the slugle young men and women. The Band rendered some good marches and selections, and was highly commended by the Brigadier.

After the ceremony all the friends stayed to a supper, which was much enjoyed, and all expressed the wish that God would greatly bless married couple.

The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to all courades and friends and the blessing of God on all pres-

Captain McClelland acted as bridesmaid, Band - Secretary Spooner, as best man - R. C.

HOPE FOR THE WORST.

Man Belleves It, and Throws Pipe Away at Ponttont Perm.

We are pleased to report that Nespawa Corps, with Capt, and Mrs. Dawe in charge, is still going about. The \$100.00 oving for regains to Hall, has been paid, and the Quar-ters brightened with a coat of paint. Souls have also been saved.

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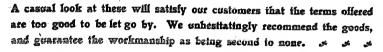
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HE TRADE DEPARTMENT hopes that its many friends and patrons have had an enjoyable Christmas, and that the New Year will bring to them neace, blessing and prosperity. & We shall be doing business at the "old stand" during 1910, and hope by prompt and generous service to merit an all round increased patronage. & The old year has done well by us, but we come up to the new with

a greater confidence than ever before, and as a "starter" we announce the following

Bargains in Tailoring Goods.





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Suits worth \$15.00 for \$12.80 Pants worth \$6.00 for \$4.00 Pants, fine finish, worth \$6, for \$4.00 Heavy Winter Overcoats at Reduced Prices & Write for Samples Band Uniforms a Specialty. Now is the Time to Place Your Order.



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Holiness.

Tunes.—Stella, B.B., 120; Sovereign-ty, B.B., 119.

1 Give me the faith that can re-And sink the mountain to a plain;
Give me the child-like praying love Which longs to build Thy house

again:
Thy love let it my heart o'erpower,
And all my simple soul devour.

Enlarge, inflante, and fill my heart
With boundless charity Divine!
So shall I all my strength exert,
And love them with a zeal like
Thine;
And lead them to Thy open side,
The sheep for whom then Shepherd
died.

Time.—I hear Thy welcome voice -B. B. J. 55.

2 Before Thy face, dear Lord.
Myself I want to see;
And while I every question sing,
I want to answer Thee.

Chorus

While I speak to Thee,

Am I what once I was?
Have I that ground maintained
Wherein I walked in power with
Thee And Thon my soul sustained?

Do I possess a heart in thought and action clean? From Monday morn till Sunday eve, Has my salvation been?

Have I the zeal I had,
When Thou didst me ordain;
To preach Thy Word and seek Thy Or do I feel it pain?

War and Testimony.

Tune.—Christian rouse thee, (Men of Harlech) B. J. 90

Soldier, rouse thee, war is rag-

God and fiends are battle wag-ling.

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Ev'ry ransomed power engaging;

Break the tempter's spell.

Date ye still its fondly dreaming?

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White the multitudes are streaming

Thile the multitudes are streaming Downward into hell?

Chorns.

Through the world resounding, Let the Gospel sounding Summon all at Jesus' call. Ills glorious cross surrounding; Sons of God, earth's trifles leaving, Be not failtless, but helieving To your conquering Captain cleaving, Forward to the fight!

Hark! I hear the warriors shouting, Now the host, of hell we're routing; Courage, onward, never doubting, We shall win the day. See the for hetere as failing. Throwing off the bondage gailing—Join one glad array.

Tune.-in the sweet by and by, 4 Let us sing of this love once against Of the love that can never decay?

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There is cleansing and healing for all Who will wash in the life-giving flood:

There ls perfect deliverance and joy,
To be had in this world through
the blood.

Just now while we taste of Ills love,
We are filled with delight through
His name;
But what will it be when above
We shall join in the song of the
Lamb?

Salvation Songs TRANSCONTINENTAL TOUR

Western and Pacific Campaign.

Commissioner and Mrs. Coombs

COLONEL AND MRS. MAPP.

Lieut-Colonels Pugmire and Howell, Brigadier Burditt, and Majors Findlay and Morris.

THE CONTINGENT WILL COMPRISE TWO PARTIES. WHO WILL CON-DUCT A NUMBER OF SEPARATE ENGAGEMENTS, AS FOLLOWS:

COMMISSIONER AND | MRS. COOMBS.

Accompanied by Lieut. Col. Pugmire and Major Findlay, will visit:

Winnipeg, Saturday, January 8th; Soldiers' Council.

Winningg, Sunday, January 9th; Dominion Theatre, afternoon and night.

Winnipeg, Monday, January 10th. Brandon, Tucsday, January 11th. Regina, Wednesday, January 12th. Moose Jaw. Thursday, Jan. 13th. Medicine Hat. Friday, Jan. 14th. Calgary, Saturday and Sunday. Jan. 15th and 16th.

Lethbridge, Monday, January 17th. Calgary, Tuesday, January 18th.

New Westminster, Friday, Jan. 21. Vancouver, Saturday, Jan. 22nd.

Vancouver, Sunday, January 23rd; Empress Theatre, afternoon and

Victoria, Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 24th and 25th.

N.B.—Lieut. Colonei Pugmire and Major Findlay will not be present at Vancouver.

COLONEL AND MRS. MAPP.

Accompanied by Lieut.-Col. Howell. Brigadier Barditt and Major Morris, will visit:

Fort William, Thursday, Jan. 6th. Kenora, Friday, January 7th.

Winnipeg, Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 8th and 9th.

Tisdale, Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 11th and 12th.

Edmonton. Friday, January 14th. Calgary, Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 15th and 16th.

Fernie, Monday, January 17th. Nelson, Wednesday, January 19th.

Vancouver, Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 22nd and 23rd.

Victoria, Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 24th and 25th.

N. B.-Brigadier Burditt will accompany through North-West Pro-vince, and Major F. Morris, through British Columbia Province.

LIEUT COL. BOWELL will visit Cross brook, Tuesday, January 19.

LIEUT.-COLONEL PUGMIRE, assisted by MAJOR FINDLAY, will visit Verroe, R.C., Tuesday, January 18; Victoria, Saturday and Sunday, January 22 and 23; and Nanaimo, Tuesday, January 25.

MAJOR FINDLAY will conduct a Meeting at High River on Friday, January 14.

Salvation.

Tune —He pardoned a rebel, B.B.

I heard of a Saviour whose love 1 heard of a saviour wause love was so great
That he laid down lifs life on the tree;
the thorus tacy were pressed on lifs beautiful brow,
To pardon a rebel like me.

The thorns

They tell me He wept over sinners one day, Saying, "Oh, that your Saviour

How oft would I gather you under

And pardon poor rebels like you." Oh. tis true, that poor sinners of all kinds He neves And you will not be cast away. He walts, in His mercy, sweet peace to bestow. So come to the fountain today.

Tune.-When the roll is called. When the trumpst of the Lore shall sound.

And time shall be no more, the morning breaks, eternol.

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When the dead is a land the glory at the

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